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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Thomas G. ROITSCH

Conf. No. 3226

Application No.: 10/009,966

Examiner: David T. Fox

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Art Unit: 1638

For: PROMOTER SYSTEM AND PRODUCTION AND USE OF THE SAME

Atty Docket: 3524.012

Customer No.: 000041288

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement contained in the Office Action mailed on September 13, 2004, having a one-month period for response expiring on October 13, 2004, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks:

**Amendments to the claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims beginning at page two of this paper.

**Remarks** begin at page 12 of this paper.

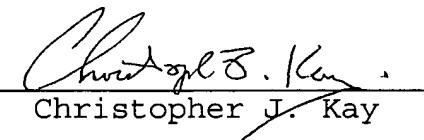
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**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING AND AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE**

I hereby certify that the foregoing RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT for U.S. Application No. 10/009,966 filed **December 12, 2001**, was deposited in first class U.S. mail, with sufficient postage prepaid, addressed: Mail Stop Amendment, Assistant Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on **October 13, 2004**.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, which may be required at any time during the prosecution of this application without specific authorization, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 16-0877.

  
Christopher J. Kay